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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—The Tools and Fixtures of a
Soap and Candle Factory.
Apply to J. COHEN, No. 91 Dearborn street, (up stairs.) P. O. Box 2454, Chicago.

FOR SALE.—I will sell my house,
208 Wabash Avenue,
With or without Furniture, very low for cash, or on long time, with interest.
C. H. BECKWITH.

FOR SALE.—A first class residence on Ninth street, situated on a corner lot, at the foot of JOHN BORDEN, No. 61 Clark street, up stairs.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The house No. 276 Erie street, south front, is known in a new and modern, in perfect order, with all the modern conveniences. Lot 25 feet front. Apply within a week to J. V. CLARKE & CO., 61 Clark street.

FOR SALE—Engine and Boiler, 10 horse power, Cylinder 8 inch, Stroke 24 inch, in first rate running order, for sale cheap, at POST & LITTLE, 45 and 47 North Jefferson street.

FOR SALE—One twenty horse power ENGINE, nearly new; 1 Acme Boiler, twelve feet long forty-two inches wide, with 52 inch shell, 3/8 inch plate, 72 three inch flues, one 18 inch diameter—all in good order, for further particulars enquire at 143 Lake street.

FOR SALE.—Drug Store for sale at a great bargain for cash or approved paper. Said store is situated in the most thriving and populous location on the North Side. Rent low. Reason for selling, ill health. Apply to or address J. ROANE, No. 176 North Wells street, Chicago.

FOR SALE.—A Soap, Candle and Oil Factory for Sale. Apply to Messrs. Smith, Powell & Co., Toronto, C. W., who are the owners. It is in complete running order, and has been doing a large business, and therefore offer the only reason for selling. Terms liberal. Inquire of JAMES & MITCHELL, 44 Lake street, Chicago.

FARM FOR SALE.—A first class, well improved prairie farm (formerly the property of the late Hon. Thomas Dyer), containing 160 acres, with 100 acres of grain land; good house, barn, stock, &c., &c. Price $4,000. Call, Location—Section 19, Township 39, Range 13, on the C. & N. W. R. R., 30 miles west of Chicago. Inquire of or address A. H. BARNES, 10 South Clark street, Chicago.

To Rent.

TO RENT—Brick House on Third avenue, No. 68. Rent moderate. Inquire on the premises.

TO RENT AND FURNITURE FOR SALE—Of a handsome Cottage, containing nine rooms, with bath, woodhouse, &c., &c., with two lots, with fruit, shade trees, &c., all in good order, and in one of the most desirable locations in the city. Rent $250. Will sell furniture if desired. Apply to or address T. HOLMES, 48 Lake street, Chicago.

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A liberal discount made for cash or installments. All kinds of instruments repaired and tuned. Orders left at the store of WM. B. PRESCOTT, 147 Clark street, will receive prompt attention.

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Lost.

LOST—Strayed, on the night of August 9, from near the Lake, two Cows and a Calf. One cow is red and white, the other red and roan, all in good condition. Any one giving information where they can be found, or bringing them to the owner, will be rewarded.
WILLIAM DAY.

LOST.—Lost between Ontario St. and Lake, a Gold Watch Chain. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at 74 Ontario street.

LOST—On Thursday, August 14, a Gold Watch, with a black covered Pocket Book attached. Any person returning the same to the Tribune office will be rewarded.

$25 REWARD.—Strayed or Stolen from the Sandy Valley—5,000 Temporary Marshall

BROKE LOOSE—A sorrel Horse, both hind feet white, small white spot in forehead, about 15 hands high, shod all round, and had on a halter when he left. Any person returning said horse to the subscriber, or giving information where he can be found, shall be liberally rewarded.
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GEN. TURCHIN.

The following private dispatch was received from Washington yesterday in reply to a direct interrogatory concerning Gen. Turchin's status in the army:

"WASHINGTON, Aug. 20, 1862.

"Gen. Turchin is a veritable Brigadier-General, now commanding the Court Martial.

"F. H. WATSON,
"Asst Sec'y of War."

THE ARMY IN VIRGINIA.

Gen. McClellan has undoubtedly joined Gen. Pope on the Rappahannock, thus bringing together two armies which ought never to have been separated. The Philadelphia *Press* has intelligence of some fighting along the line of the Rappahannock, on the south side of which the enemy are in large force. The rebels have been repulsed and prevented from crossing. If this intelligence is to be relied upon—if the armies of Pope, Burnside and McClellan have formed a junction—the great danger is passed, and, if we know how to use our advantages, the victory henceforth is ours, and Richmond must fall.

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We apprehend that when all the facts are known it will be found that a much less number than 500 whites have been massacred by the Indians in Minnesota. It is clear, nevertheless, that deeds have been perpetrated there which rival in horror the memories of Wyoming. Let these savages now be exterminated. Our present dispatches indicate that Col. Sibley, with his regiment, will reach the scene of carnage at 1 o'clock to-day. We trust he will make the butchery complete, and that he will not have enough of the screeching devils alive to propagate a new generation.

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"We think you are strangely and disastrously remiss in the discharge of your official and imperative duty with regard to the enforcement of the new Confiscation Act, their provisions were designed to fight Slavery with Liberty; to conscript the loyal men of the Union, and willing to shed their blood for the Union's life, longer to be held, with the Nation's consent, in bondage to persistent, malicious traitors, who for twenty years have been plotting the atrocious crime they have since perpetrated. We complain that our commanders in the field habitually return fugitive slaves to their alleged owners, who are in arms against us, and that the Union forces are thus used to hold down the blacks in a servitude more cruel and debasing than that from which they have fled. We complain that this practice is grossly unjust and inhuman to the slaves, and highly detrimental to the cause of the Union and the life of our brave soldiers, whose lives are needlessly imperiled by it; and we demand that it be instantly and utterly abandoned."

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Better Late than Never.

We are glad to learn that the Memphis correspondent of that semi-occult journal, the Chicago *Post*, has at last been arrested and sent to the Penitentiary. He has started more false reports in the interest of the confederacy, than any two men in the country, and he ought long since to have been disabled from further mischief. That he has been in disguise is a very suspicious circumstance.—*N. Y. World.*

There is a report that the chief of that secession print has applied to Gov. Yates to help get his associate out of the penitentiary. If the governor proposes to interfere in the premises he would be more beneficially engaged in reading the pledges of loyalty by which the subordinate at Alton, etc.

☞ A letter from a soldier in McClellan's army to the TRIBUNE says: On the way from Harrison's Landing to Williamsburg we passed the plantation of Ex-President Tyler who died in Richmond some time since. His widow is a bitter secesh, still resides on the plantation.

Fifteen of her male slaves with their wives and pickaninies knocked off work and joined the army in its retreat. I suppose they will say the Yankees stole her niggers." But we further persuaded nor excluded them. They were of their own accord to escape from the hoes of bondage.

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(Kentucky) Advocate, Sist.]

Lieutenant Quartermaster Kinsman, of the 2d regiment of cavalry, arrived in this city yesterday and that 3,000 rebels were at Carrollville, and that 5,000 more were at Racine. Instead them, which reported that the rebels report was false, but it is believed by many that their number is not less than 5,000.

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Horrible Massacre of Settlers on the Frontier.

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Col Sibley's Regiment Expected to Arrive There To-Day.

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"A courier has just come to the governor, asking for more men to be sent against the Indians. It seems to be the opinion of some of the best informed of our citizens that it must have originated with the cursed secesh of Missouri. Five companies only are now on their way, and cannot have left for the seat of war, but what can infantry do against mounted Indians? Mr. Galbraith, one of the Indian agents, says there are now under arms over 10,000 Sioux, besides other tribes from the Northern Missouri. God only knows where this thing will end."

[From the St. Paul Pioneer, Aug. 23.]

The city was considerably excited yesterday and last evening by reports of murders committed by the Indians in Meeker county, and at the agency on the Mississippi river. We have diligently traced these reports, and give the following as the substance of everything that has come in a reliable form up to a late hour:

MURDERS IN MEEKER COUNTY.

The first news of the Indian fiend was brought to the governor by Mr. George C. Whitcomb, who resides at Greenleaf, Meeker county, about thirty-five miles from Hutchinson. Mr. Whitcomb is the county treasurer, and well known as a gentleman of truth.

He states that about one o'clock on Sunday last, seven or eight Indians came to the house of Mr. Robinson Jones, in the town of Acton, thirty miles northwest of Forest City. Mr. Jones soon discovered that their disposition was anything but friendly, and fearing for the safety of his family, he locked the doors of his house, and with his wife went to the house of Mr. Howard Baker, about a mile distant, and was followed by the Indians.

The Sioux, on arriving at the door of Mr. Baker's house, proposed to the inmates to go out a short distance and shoot at a mark. As assent was given to the proposition, and the Indians led the way. When they were a short distance from the house, a signal was given, and the Indians turned and fired upon Mr. Robinson Jones, who was just outside of the door. Howard Baker, Mrs. Jones, and Mrs. Webster, who were inside the door fell mortally wounded. The Indian who fired at Mr. Jones missed, and fired again, the second shot taking effect. Mr. Baker and his wife, who was unhurt, to go down cellar with her child. She started to go, but when at the head of the stairs she paused down, and was instantly shot a fourth time. When she revived the Indians were gone. She got a pillow and put under her husband's head, who was still alive. He directed her to leave him and go to neighbor's about a mile distant, and give the alarm, which she did.

The people turned out and went to Baker's house and found four person's dead—Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Howard Baker and Mr. Webster. The child of Mrs. Baker was found in the house unhurt. It was an infant, only two years old.

When Mr. Jones locked up his house to go to Mr. Baker's he left a young girl, an adopted child, and the neighbors found on going to Jone's house, that the Indians had returned and murdered her.

Mr. Whitcomb, who gives us these particulars, was engaged raising a company for one of our new regiments, and was at Forest City. His sent men out to the scene of murders, who returned and verified the statements we have given. The settlers were rushing to Forest City in great numbers, but nobody had seen any other bands of Indians than those who committed the murders, and it is not known that any others were in the neighborhood.

MURDERS AT THE AGENCY—A COMPANY FROM FORT RIDGELY BADLY CUT UP.

Gov. Ramsay received yesterday afternoon the following dispatches from Lieutenants Gere and Culver, of the 5th regiment, stationed at Fort Ridgely:

HEADQUARTERS FORT RELEY, }
August 18—8 p. m. }

Commanding Officers at Fort Snelling:

Captain Marsh left this post at 10½ this morning to prevent Indian depredations at the lower agency. Some of the men have returned. I learn from them that Capt. Marsh is killed, and only thirteen of his company are remaining.

The Indians are killing the settlers and plundering the country. Send reinforcements without delay. Respectfully,

THOMAS P. GERE,
2d Lieut. Co. B, 5th Reg't Minn. Vols.

P. S.—Please hand this to Governor Ramsay.

Sp. FETZ, August 18—4 p. m.

GOVERNOR: A second dispatch has arrived from the ford, Captain Marsh, on hearing of the fight at Red Wood, went with fifty of our company. Only thirteen came back. The captain was wounded, and drowned.

The messenger is at the door, and I close. I leave in half an hour for the fort with fifty of the Yankee stole her niggers." armed men.

N. K. CULVER,
1st Lieut. 5th Minn. Vols.

P. S.—500 men are needed.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

On Friday morning, Major Galbraith left the Agency, with W. H. Shelby, Esq., and about fifty men, volunteers, for Fort Snelling, to be mustered into the service of the United States. On Monday afternoon they arrived at St. Peter, and were overtaken by Mr. Dickinson, of Red Wood, who informed Major Galbraith that the Indians had commenced an attack on the people at Red Wood on Monday morning, at 8 o'clock, and that when he left six men had been shot. Their names were James W. Linde, formerly State Senator; John Lamb, storekeeper; Mr. Garvey, the farmer; and three Germans whose names were not given. Mr. Dickinson was one of the wounded Germans. Fort Ridgely is twelve miles distant, and Dr. Muller pronounced him mortally wounded. From Mr. Dickinson got across the river from Red Wood, he saw the Indians firing into the trader's stores, and other buildings. About forty men fired into Merrick's store at once.

Mr. Dickinson estimated the number of Indians engaged in the firing at about 150.

Major Galbraith, when he learned what had taken place, turned back from St. Peter, and with his men started for Redwood, and Mr. Shelly came down with the dispatches of Lieuts. Culver and Gere. When Major Galbraith left the Agency, everything was quiet. The Indians had received their annuity goods, and had all disappeared, apparently satisfied with the promise of the major to send for them as soon as the money arrived to pay off their annuities. It is thought that the Indians were induced to commit these outrages by Indians from Missouri, and secession traders from that State. Mrs. Galbraith and children, as well as the families of the employees, are at the Yellow Medicine Agency.

Captain Nelson Roberts, who returned last evening from New Ulm, reports that the people were packing up in that town and all along the valley, and leaving for St. Peter. Captain Marsh's company were fired upon at the ferry, opposite Red Wood, and it was reported by those who escaped that thirty-seven were killed and wounded. Captain Marsh was reported killed, but these reports had not been confirmed. Capt. N. Roberts started for New Ulm, with teams for Red Wood, and a short distance out met his brother Louis, coming down from the agency. The teamsters say they saw one man shot down in a field and another in the road, between Red Wood and New Ulm. Great fears are felt for the upper and lower agency. George Hesson and Dr. Humphrey were at Red Wood when Mr. Roberts left. The messengers, with money to pay off the Indians, were at Fort Ridgely.

MEASURES TAKEN FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE FRONTIER.

As soon as the news of the Indian troubles reached the city, Gov. Ramsey went to Fort Snelling, and orders were given for four companies to be ready to start at once for the scene of the disturbances. The command of the expedition was given to ex-Gov. Sibley. The whole matter was confided to his discretion, and he immediately left for the front. Colonel Henry H. Sibley is hereby directed to take charge of a military expedition for their prompt suppression, and to restore the peace and quiet of these settlements.

1. Colonel Smith, commanding the place of general rendezvous at Fort Snelling, will forthwith detail four companies of the troops under his command, to be placed under charge of Colonel Sibley.

2. Colonel Sibley will proceed without delay with said four companies to our frontier, and will collect in addition on the way such forces of mounted infantry as he may deem advisable.

3. Colonel Sibley is hereby authorized to provide all necessary subsistence and transportation for the troops under his command.

4. Captain Webb will act as adjutant to Colonel Sibley.

5. Mr. Mills is hereby appointed quartermaster for the expedition.

By order of the commander-in-chief,
OSCAR MALMROS, Adjutant General.

Correspondence Between President Lincoln and Horace Greeley.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, }
August 22, 1862. }

To Hon. Horace Greeley:

DEAR SIR—I have just read yours of the 19th inst. addressed to myself, through the New York *Tribune*. If there be in it any statements or assumptions of fact which I may know to be erroneous, I do not now and here controvert them. If there be any inferences which I may believe to be falsely drawn, I do not now and here argue against them. If there be perceptible in it an imperious and dictatorial tone, I waive it in deference to an old friend whose heart I have always supposed to be right. As to the policy I seem to be pursuing, as you say, I have not meant to leave any one in doubt. I would save the Union. I would save it in the shortest way under the constitution. The sooner the national authority can be restored the nearer the Union will be "the Union as it was." If there be those who would not save the Union unless they could at the same time save slavery, I do not agree with them. If there be those who would save the Union unless they could at the same time destroy slavery, I do not agree with them. My paramount object is to save the Union, and not either to save or destroy slavery. If I could save the Union without freeing any slaves I would do it, and if I could save it by freeing all the slaves I would do it; and if I could save it by freeing some and leaving others alone, I would also do that. What I do about slavery and the colored race, I do because I believe it helps to save this Union, and what I forbear I forbear because I don't believe it would help to save the Union. I shall often make mistakes in this, I shall believe what I am doing hurts the cause, and I shall do more whenever I believe doing more will help the cause. I shall try to correct errors when shown to be errors, and I shall adopt new views so fast as they shall appear to be true views. I shall do nothing in pursuance of my view of official duty, and I intend no modification of my oft-expressed personal wish that all men, everywhere, could be free.

Yours,
A. LINCOLN.

From Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 23.—Gen. Wright left for Louisville this morning. He will return on Sunday morning and assume command of the new department of the Ohio, which embraces Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Kentucky south of Kentucky, and east of Tennessee River. Cumberland Gap, and all troops in that vicinity, are not included. Cincinnati will be headquarters.

The staff of Gen. Wright is composed as follows: Adjutant General and Chief of Staff, Major H. B. Scott; Aids-de-Camp, Capt. C. W. Foster; Quartermaster, Capt. H. P. Goodrich; Surgeon, Major F. M. Heiston; Aids-de-Camp, Lieut. Col. Ammen, Capt. T. J. Bryden and H. W. Hubbell, Jr. Other appointments are deferred. Gen. Wright will appoint none above the rank of major, and only a sufficient number for transact business.

He discredits an immediate invasion of Kentucky by large bodies of rebel troops, but apprehends that Stonewall Jackson is marching east in Tennessee, where the confederates are massing a large army.

Gen. Morgan at Cumberland Gap, is entirely secure, and has abundant supplies.

The excitement in Kentucky is subsiding.

Col. Metcalf and his command of 2,000 men are reported by Prof. Drury, of the 18th Kentucky regiment, to be surrounded by guerillas, twenty miles from Richmond, Ky., on the London road. Fears are entertained of their capture.

Troops continue to pour south of the Ohio. Indiana has sent 14,500, Ohio 5,500, and Kentucky is actively recruiting is brisk to-day. The regiments are nearly all full

Humphrey Marshall is retreating up the Big Sandy.

Gen. Cox's position above Gauley is regarded as hazardous.

Arrests for discouraging enlistments are numerous.

Two hundred deserters from different regiments were sent forward under guard to-day.

Archbishop Purcell arrived from Rome this evening, and in a speech at the Cathedral called on Catholics to enlist promptly to put down the rebellion and close the war. His reception was an immense one.

RUSSELLVILLE, Ky., August 21.—All that is known here of the capture of Clarksville, is, that Col. Mason surrendered his whole command to a guerilla force numbering 300 men, Woodward and Garth. The most reliable report represent Mason's force at 200, and that of the rebels at from 400 to 600. Not a gun was fired. Mason and his men were paroled and went down the river.

LATER.—Further information from Clarksville shows the surrender the most disgraceful and cowardly of the war. The paroled prisoners were allowed to carry off their horses and side-arms. The surrender was made to an inferior force of rebel cavalry. Mason and Woodward made speeches complimenting each other.

NASHVILLE, August 21.—Yesterday noon Capt. Atkinson of the 50th Indiana, with twenty men, in a stockade at Edgerville Junction, was attacked by 1,000 guerillas. He repulsed them three times, killing Morgan's adjutant and several privates, and wounding eighteen others, and finally, after three hours' fighting, drove them off.

Col. Mason of the 71st Ohio (the same regiment described by Gen. Sherman for cowardice at the battle of Shiloh) with 200 men and two cannon, is strong intrenchments at Clarksville, surrendered without firing a gun to a force of guerillas. The guerillas were aided by rebels who had taken the oath of allegiance. A large amount of Clifton property was seized.

One hundred soldiers were captured by guerillas at Manskow Creek, near Edgefield, and the bridge burned.

Gen. Nelson left Nashville for Louisville this morning.

Lieut. Col. Steffen of Indiana, has been arrested for violating orders.

Direction of Rebel Forces to Kirby Smith.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 21.—By orders received from the war department, Surgeon General Smith is directed to proceed to Cincinnati and there establish examining committees with reference to their ability to fight and do other service in their respective public service. Among the cases disposed of are those of Majors Lymington and Saunson, who, it is claimed, are Indiana and Kentucky, and therefore in the service of those States.

[Correspondence of the Cincinnati Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20, 1862.

"Oceans of water and not a drop to drink," "hundreds of brigades, but hardly one ready to put in the right place." That's the National situation this perilous Wednesday afternoon. Major Gen. Halleck, in print, the crisis will be over, or I should hardly say so much.

"The next forty-eight hours are the most important and dangerous of any since the war began," said one, this morning, who knows the peril, if any member of the Government does.

Weeks ago the danger was pointed out. The rebels had reached their very golden hour. Richmond was full, Jackson's battalions, the old ranks were sadly thinned. We sought to concentrate—the route for one of our armies was circuitous—and meantime the rebels broke our railroad for consecutive days, and pounce upon the other. We needed the utmost celerity of movement—from a man who has not yet been notified for active service. To effect our purpose, God grant that he may not fail us now!

The rebels appreciate the situation. They know their opportunity. It is even published in their Richmond newspapers—long before the loyal people of the North understood the case. Of course they improved their time—in such cases they always do. You have read in the daily dispatches the government has permitted to pass, how they have poured forward their choicest regiments from Richmond, and how Jackson has suddenly disappeared. Let us only hope that when he re-appears, sturdy loyal troops will corner the foe.

But why should we fear? Did not Banks' 7,000 hold in check their 25,000? The crisis is momentous, but we have every reason for unbounded faith in our noble soldiery.

From California.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 21.—Sailed steamer Sonora for Panama with 130 passengers and $920 000 in treasure for New York, and $500,000 for England.

The political canvass in California is becoming exciting. Senator Latham is stumping the State, and is pretty well received by both wings of the Democracy, and bitterly opposed by the Republicans. The probabilities are that the Republicans will secure a majority in the Legislature, though the conduct and character of the Breckinridge Democrats make no nominations for the Legislature, and will support the Union or Latham ticket in the different counties.

A large portion of the town of Horse Valley, on Gen. Fremont's Mariposa estate, including the St. Charles Hotel and government block, were destroyed by fire on the 17th. Loss not ascertained.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—The inhabitants of Fort Townsend, Washington Territory, are infuriated against the Collector in consequence of the removal of the custom house to Port Angelo, the new port created by Congress, opposite Victoria. They threatened violence, and only gave up the custom house records when the steamship Shubrick threatened to fire a broadside "to case every living thing." Organization of the portion of Port Townsend have $340,000 of taxable property. Port Angelo has no population or houses, but has a good harbor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—Large additional quantities of gold are arriving at Los Angelos from the New Colorado mines, which are situated southwardly of the Colorado River, sixty miles north of Fort Zama, and 100 miles south of Mohave, extending indefinitely into an unexplored country, occupied by hostile Indians. About 300 Americans and 700 Mexicans are engaged in prospecting with each encouraging indications that emigration in that direction will be very large next year. This must result in the exploration of an extensive region of country, hitherto unknown, but believed to be rich in gold.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—Hongkong dates to the 25th of June have been received.

The steamer Cortez, formerly a California coaster, was destroyed by fire at Shanghai on the 5th of June.

Thirty-one buildings in Horulta Mariposa county, were burned on the 10th. Loss, $60,000; insured $17,000.

Death of a Rear Admiral.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23d.—Rear Admiral George Campbell Read, governor of the Navy Asylum in this city, died this morning.

THE WAR IN VIRGINIA.

Gen. McClellan Joins Gen. Pope on the Rappahannock.

LARGE REBEL FORCE ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE RIVER.

SKIRMISHING ALONG THE LINES.

The Enemy's Advance Repulsed.

NEW YORK, August 23.—The Philadelphia *Press* says Gen. Pope has fallen back across the Rappahannock and made that stream his line of defense. The enemy is in great force on the south bank, and had made several ineffectual efforts to cross and turn our right flank, at the same time making demonstrations on our centre. Such disposition of our army has been made that there need be no fears of further retreat.

Gen. McClellan has arrived with a large portion of his army, and it is believed has assumed command of both armies.

Fighting of a desultory character has been going on for several days, and the enemy has no doubt been repulsed at all points by our batteries, though not without some loss of artillery-men and horses.

During Thursday heavy firing was heard on the extreme left, and it was believed that Gen. Pope was engaged the rebels.

Gen. Pope is praised for great skill and activity in strengthening all weak points. It is said he has had no rest for seventy-two hours.

All our advices seem to indicate our success at all points.

NEW YORK, August 23.—The sensation Baltimore correspondent of the *Herald* gives a story that Jackson is marching to Winchester with 100,000 men, while Lee, with 150,000, is to attack Pope's army. Jackson is then to turn to Leesburg and cross the Potomac into Maryland, and march on Washington.

A special to the *Post*, dated Washington, 23d, says:

The bounties to be paid by the government to the volunteers in the army will amount to $74,000,000. The payments are made as rapidly as possible, the treasury department is depending all other payments for the time, in order to expedite the bounties.

NEW YORK, August 23.—The *Post* says that letters received in this city state that a considerable portion of the army which still remains in Western Virginia, would arrive in Washington to-day, under Gen. Cox. It is also reported that western troops are pouring into Virginia by way of Parkersburg.

The 11th New York, 35th Massachusetts and 18th Connecticut passed through to-day, for Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—A number of newspaper correspondents arrived here yesterday from the army of Virginia. Their departure thence was hurried.

Commander Wm. D. Porter, the destroyer of the Arkansas, has been made a

The Tribune.

MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 1862.

MR. BROWNING'S NEW ORLEANS SPEECH.

The Quincy *Herald*, which was not long since prohibited by Gen. Schofield from circulating in Missouri because of its treasonable influence, is in ecstacies over Senator Browning's speech. The Chicago *Times*, whose army correspondents are constantly arrested for publishing statements "false in fact and mischievous in tendency," is also in ecstacies over Mr. Browning's speech. If the inmates of Fort Warren could make themselves heard, they would announce their high gratification and delight over the same discourse. We trust that Mr. Browning is gratified with his new company. We are gratified that he has found them, or they him, at last, and we hope that such true lovers may live long and happily together.

But we cannot consent that the Quincy *Herald* shall carry off the President of the United States with Mr. Browning. The *Herald* says:

"Mr. Browning said that Congress had no power to confiscate, and that confiscation was a penalty. If the power of confiscation existed anywhere, it existed in the President, by virtue of his Commander-in-Chief clause of our organic law. The Constitution conferred no such power upon Congress, and he had sworn to support the Constitution. He could not support the confiscation bill and the Constitution too, so he supported the Constitution and opposed confiscation. *Upon this question he stood with the President.*"

The President having solemnly *approved* the confiscation bill of Congress, it is difficult to see how he and Mr. Browning stand together. The fact that the President approved the bill, which Mr. Browning voted against, is the precise fact which makes it the law of the land! This attempt to get into good society by false pretenses will not win.

NO MORE LENITY.

We are told that our Southern brethren must be treated with lenity. Have we not so treated them these five-and-twenty years? What have we received in return? Have not Northern Union Democrats always stood up for the South? They are now hated with a savageness hitherto unknown among civilized men. What have they done to deserve this hatred? Even this—they refused to allow our "Southern brethren" to overthrow the Federal Government and set up a slaveholding oligarchy in its stead. For setting country above section, and patriotism above partisanship, they are all marked for slaughter or robbery, and nothing but power is wanting, on the part of the rebels, to carry the decree into execution. If this be the reward of lenity, let us have done with it. According to this lenity doctrine, it was cruel and wrong in Washington to seek the life of Arnold. Were they not countrymen? The commander-in-chief should have sought an interview with the traitor, and settled the matter by *compromise*. Have we all read history backwards? Have we read the Bible to no purpose? Is it nothing to us that our fathers declared that all men were *created free*? Is it nothing to us that "God has made of one blood all nations of men?" Why should "our Southern brethren" have the power of making evil good, and good evil; of putting light for darkness, and darkness for light; of sanctifying slavery, and crucifying liberty? Our *lenity* has been their *license*.

THE CHICAGO TIMES.

No intelligent person who has seen a dozen chance copies of the Chicago *Times* for the past six months needs to be informed of the reason why the attention of the War Department seems just now to be directed toward it, and why the brother-in-law of the chief conspirator of the concern is now in the penitentiary, and one of his most eager minions in duress. Here is a dispatch taken at random from the many with which the sheet has flooded the country, since with singular bad taste the Associated Press eagerly gobbles up and circulates these canards broadcast. Does it not read as if it was really the product of a rebel sheet? Notice the chuckle there runs through it. The design is most apparent. It comes from men who have a purpose to prolong the war, check enthusiasm, discourage army and people and reconstruct slavery first under its own terms. Read all this in the following:

SEVERE BATTLE AT TAZEWELL—SURRENDER OF THE UNION FORCES—THE REBELS IN POSSESSION OF EAST TENNESSEE AGAIN, &c. &c.

CHICAGO, Friday, August 15, 1862.

The *Times* of this city has the following special dispatch:

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1862.

A battle commenced on the 7th inst at Tazewell, seven miles from the Cumberland Gap, between the undersigned forces, commanded Gen. Morgan, numbering from 13,000 to 15,000, and the Unionists at that place, numbering 3,000.

The conversation was made in front by Gen. Stevenson, while Gen. Morgan gained the rear of the Union forces by forced marches, and completely surrounded them.

A desperate fight of four hours ensued, terminating in the surrender of the Unionists.

The Unionists were driven by superior numbers in front, and when in full retreat were assailed by a flanking force of the rebels.

The rebels are thus in possession of East Tennessee again.

Their next move will be on Gen. Buell, with an overwhelming force.

Gen. Beauregard is at Chattanooga, co-operating with Gen. Bragg. Their combined force is not less than 70,000 men.

WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH THE REBELS?

We cannot get rid of them. What shall we do with them? Not a great while ago another topic came up, apparently quite as vital to the nation, but it pertained to skins of lighter hue, from the tolerably white complexions of Southern Europe to the fairest children of Scandinavia—*What shall we do with the foreigners?* How the topic grew hot under the hammer of argument, how it got spun out into policies that bound a great party together, and how that party resolved to Know Nothing but the means of getting rid of the foreigners—lo! is not all this, history, past and closed forever, for the page will never be reopened. The Know Nothing movement is dead beyond resurrection, and what is more, its friends all vie with one another in forgetting its place of burial. No one dares to wear mourning for it, and in any of our recent elections for a man to be caught with a bit of crape on his arm or a black ribbon at his button hole for the defunct principles, was political damnation.

What shall we do with the foreigners? Stop their coming over by all means, yelled the native born sentiment in which voices chimed, by not more than one generation purified from the brogue of Cork and Rotheland. We must prevent their coming, of course. But this could not be done. As well to oppose the run of shad to our rivers, or the visit of schools of alewives to our ocean bays, as fend off the flood tide of vessels deeply laden with the children of the old world seeking the new. Irish, Scandinavian, German, Hungarian, still they came. But check them after they are here, screamed native again. Don't let them up. Keep them down. Crush them Put none but Americans on guard to-night. "Bung for beadle" native born, with five pure blooded children, and the cries grew fast and furious.

Will the class of Irish and German citizens just now the easiest kindled into outrages against the poor blacks remember all this, and couple therewith the reminiscence that nowhere was the purely native sentiment more intense than in Southern cities and in the districts most cursed by that other monster, slavery? The negro drivers and mulatto breeders were fiercely seldom against the Know Nothing system, there Know-Nothingism ran rampant against the low Irish and Dutch. Altogether it hit hard to shake and reed the nation, but it did not. It died away. From the vague jostling of one another, What shall we do with the foreigners? came to the wiser conclusion that we can do nothing with them. Efforts are made at statute against the naturalization of dunces. We must let them alone, and they are let alone.

The discussion on the other darker hued question will be modest in the same way. We must simply let them alone. We must allow them to live among us, for we cannot help it, and to increase and multiply, for the curse of all laws against it. Hate the race and pray for the end of the whole matter, over the brink of which the President goes shiveringly, and the timid ones of his flock shudderingly follow. Yes, let them alone. But then it will need no argument to prove that every community is the better for the enlightenment of all classes of its citizens. In the elevation of the masses comes the highest success of the State. Foreigners, blacks, natives, all are susceptible to the same influences and in the same direction of social elevation. Let the light in upon the blacks. Free Labor will elevate them. Free Schools enlighten them. Freedom will demonstrate to the most purblind sentimentalist that they are not tailless monkeys. Religion and Humanity will bring forth their fruits upon them also. They are among us and must remain among us. We shall be the better for the change that elevates them. The districts of Beaufort could flaunt before the world its high social state with the proportion of one white man to five black savages owned, bought and driven. Freedom can and will show the world the better spectacle of a society in which air and sunlight will reach all men and all races alike, and that if we must have blacks among us, better they were free than slave, better rising in the scale of humanity than hopel essly prisoned in degradation.

George Francis Train.

The Boston *Commercial Bulletin*, of Saturday, publishes a speech of George Francis Train, delivered at a secret meeting of the Mechanics' Guild of St. Patrick, in London, in which he prophesied the downfall of England, and bade the Irishmen to be prepared to take advantage of the occurrence. The speech is in Mr. Train's spirited style, with less attempts at euphemisms than he generally indulges in. His hearers continually interrupted him with cheers, and at the close of his remarks escorted him some way in the street. The *Bulletin* says, editorially, that it received a hasty note from Mr. Train by the last steamer, stating that he had been imprisoned, but did not think his confinement would be of long duration. He expects to be in this country about the last of next month.

How to Avoid a Draft.

Forgery from state to state, that one day in the last week, an idroit speculator on the fears as well as the cowardice of those liable to military service, advertised in one of the Philadelphia papers that, in consideration of the sum of one dollar, sent to by post at a certain given address, he would directly communicate an *infallible* method by which each person receiving the valuable information could avoid the draft. As many as four hundred letters, each enclosing a dollar, reached the ingenious advertiser within twelve hours. In every instance, he conscientiously fulfilled his promise, and, without delay or evasion, communicated *how* to evade the draft. The secret, which is well worth knowing, was communicated in the single word—ENLIST.

Desertion and Demoralization Among Bindman's Forces.

The rebel General Hindman, whose headquarters are at Little Rock, Arkansas, is fast losing the popularity he gained at the breaking out of the rebellion. Since he was shot and severely wounded a few weeks ago by one of his own soldiers, he is falling fast into the infamy his character so well merits and deserves. It is stated, on good authority, that his bed is made uneasy by the fear of assassination, and so very unpopular has he become that no respect is felt for his person or his orders.

Curtis on Emancipation

The following is a copy of one of General Curtis' emancipation papers issued to a colored family, who took immediate benefit from its privilege, and started north on the Lady Pike, bound for Cincinnati, from this port, a few days ago:

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE SOUTHWEST, } HELENA, Ark., July 26, 1862.

SPECIAL ORDER No. 26.—Young Rice and family, colored persons, formerly slaves, having by dereliction of their owner been engaged in the rebel service, are hereby constituted a free and loyal family of war; and not being needed in the public service, are permitted to pass the pickets of this command northward. They are hereby manifested from a master who permitted them to assist in an attempt to overthrow the government and ruin our country. By command of Maj. Gen. Curtis.

J. C. BUNDY, Lieut. and A. D. C.

POLITICS IN COLORADO TERRITORY.—The Union Administration convention of Colorado Territory, recently convened at Denver City, every county, with one exception, being represented by full delegations. Resolutions were adopted expressive of unfaltering loyalty and devotion to the Union and the administration, and a committee of seven was appointed, to constitute the Union administration central committee for the Territory. Hon. Hiram P. Bennett, of Denver City, was unanimously nominated for re-election to Congress, after which, amid much enthusiasm, the convention adjourned sine die. Mr. Bennett has announced his intention of making a thorough canvass of the Territory.

New Jersey's Quota.

TRENTON, August 20, 1862.

The following are the quotas by counties due from the State to make up the State quota of the last call for 300,000 men:

	Men.		Men.
Atlantic county....	80	Mercer county....	616
Bergen county....	618	Middlesex county	616
Burlington county.	732	Monmouth county	917
Camden county....	507	Morris county....	707
Cumberland county	417	Ocean county....	207
Essex county....	1,196	Salem county....	343
Gloucester county.	249	Sussex county....	382
Hudson county....	514		
Hunterdon county.	618	Total.....10,474	
Warren county....	613		
Burlington county for men of five hundred	400		

The following towns and wards are exempt from the draft, having already raised sufficient troops:

Lumbarton and West Hampton, in Burlington county; all the wards in the city, and Union, in Camden county; Bridgeton, in Cumberland county; Bethlehem and Lambertville, in Hunterdon county; Plumstead, in Ocean county; Pingrove and Upper Pittsgrove, in Salem county; Montague and Newton, in Sussex county; and Belvidere, Independence, and Phillipsburg, in Warren county.

The quotas are made out by townships.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

REPLIES TO "ESSAYS AND REVIEWS," by Rev E. M. GOULBURN, D. D.; Rev. N. J. ROSS, B. D.; Rev. C. A. HOARSLEY, D. D.; Rev. W. J. THOMS, B. D.; Rev. G. ROBINSON, M. A.; Rev. A. W. HANDAR, B. D.; Rev. G. WOMBWOUGH, B. D.; with a preface by the Lord Bishop of Oxford. New York, D. Appleton & Co.; Chicago, S. C. Griggs & Co. Nos. 59 and 61 Lake street.

A work from seven of the leading divines of England, even amid the excitement of war, can scarcely fail to attract the marked attention of the christian public. The "essays and reviews," to which these are a crushing reply, are a rationalistic, under the guise of a false philosophy and the charm of high but merely intellectual culture, of the old arguments and objections against the truth of christianity. In one form or another or this argument is renewed in every generation, and always with the same result. So long as men are corrupt and hate the truth, so long as a sentimental philosophy seeks to exalt itself above the simple saving principles of the gospel, so long will they strive to unhinge the hopes of believers, and destroy the church of God. "They know not what they do," for with the ruin of christianity, civilization would lose the only element that gives it permanent vitality, and mankind would rapidly relapse into the barbarism of the past. Nothing can be more convincing argument for the divine origin of the scriptures we cordially commend the above work to the reading and thinking public.

NEW GYMNASTICS FOR MEN WOMEN AND CHILDREN; by Dr. Lewis—Boston, Tickner & Fields—Chicago, S. C. Griggs & Co.

We noticed this valuable work a few days since, giving it our unqualified approbation. It ought to have a wide circulation, and its teachings, if practiced, would soon have a marked effect upon the health, the happiness and the prosperity of the country.

THE COMPANY DRILL or the Infantry of the line. Bayonet fencing, &c., &c., by Col. J. MONROE, U. S. Infantry—New York, D. Van Nostrand—Chicago, S. C. Griggs & Co.

This is a most valuable and timely little manual easily carried in the soldiers pocket. It should be in the hands of every new recruit. The patrons of each of our new companies could not better invest a dollar than to give each man a copy. Who will be so good as an example.

A SYSTEM OF TARGET PRACTICE FOR THE USE OF TROOPS, by Capt. HENRY HUNT—New York, D. Van Nostrand—Chicago, S. C. Griggs & Co.

Another little work that should have a wide distribution. A soldier's efficiency is increased a hundred fold by knowing the range of his weapon, and all things necessary to its proper use. We hope that our brave recruits will provide themselves with a copy of this work before leaving the city.

THE TOMBS OF ARTHUR SHOP CLOUGH, with a memoir by CHARLES ELIOT NORTON—Boston, Ticknor & Fields—Chicago, S. C. Griggs & Co.

A very beautiful little volume, from one who has the reputation of being a very charming poet. In these war times we have no leisure for critical comments. We commend it to the lovers of poetry for their consideration.

VOLUNTEERING IN ILLINOIS.

Letters from the People.

DE KALB COUNTY.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

SYCAMORE, DeKalb Co., Aug. 20, 1862.

DeKalb is wide awake—without noise but genuine fully organized and ready to go into camp. DeKalb has four companies coming here to go into rendezvous immediately. The adjutant general has given permission for DeKalb and DuPage to form a regiment, if they come in the companies together, there is one more than is required; whereas, it was at first thought we would have to call on other counties for help.

Major Daniel Austin of the 8th Illinois cavalry, has been commissioned by Gen. McClellan to recruit for that regiment in this State, and has established his headquarters at this place, under instructions from Col. Morrison of Springfield, the superintendent of recruiting in this State. Friends of the regiment who desire to assist in filling up its ranks, can communicate with Major D. Transportation will be furnished all recruits by Col. Morrison, under whose authority the major is acting. It is to be hoped that he will have a goodly number of farmers' boys to take back with him to join this yeoman's regiment, which certainly deserves to be promptly filled up. W.

A NEW COMPANY FROM MENDOTA.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

MENDOTA, Aug. 21, 1862.

You will be gratified to learn that Mendota is not behind any loyal town in furnishing noble men to fight the battles of the free. Messrs. Hazlett and Tewksberry, both teachers, the former in Mendota, the latter in Freeport, have been indefatigable in their exertions to raise a company of 100, and have succeeded. To-morrow they go to Ottawa to be mustered in. This fine company, 2d by Capt. Hazlett and Lieut. Tewksberry, was going to the war, for other purposes than to guard rebels' property. You would be pleased to see the indignant flashings of their eyes at the recital of the shameful humiliation to which our men have been subjected. They go to hit somebody, nor will they be troubled by any considerations of scruples concerning rebel rights, negro wise, or otherwise. The work goes on. God give us men—men every where—and then liberty or death. G.

MASON COUNTY.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

SUGARNUT, Ill., August 19, 1862.

This county with a population of less than 12,000, has furnished thirteen full companies for the war. Nearly every man, who is patriotic, and able to carry a musket, has volunteered; leaving a few of secession principles who are waiting for the draft to be enforced. Only a small part of the crops in Mason county, now standing, will be gathered. Where have they done better?

VERMILLION COUNTY.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

DANVILLE, Ill., Aug. 20, 1862.

While other sections of our State are *gassing* about what has been done in the way of raising men for the war, Vermillion county has not yet to have reported. Under the call for 500,000 last year, this county sent about 1,200 men, and after the last two calls we have raised ten companies, and can easily lodge of them by appearance, but the confidently expects they will make good officers.

All in all, both privates and officers have just reason to be proud of each other.

McLEAN COUNTY.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

BLOOMINGTON, Aug. 19, 1862.

I know Chicago is a great city and has sent nobly for the last 600,000; but she and all the other places will have to yield the palm to McLean county. We have this morning (Aug. 11) 1,800 volunteers under the last call. Our share was 450 of the first 300,000, and 900 for the 500,000. We are about 1,400 men in the field; at least, that number have entered the service. We have about 6,000 voters. Can any other county show such a record? This call carries off three more of our Bar; two had gone before, besides our Circuit clerk.

CROPS AND RECRUITS IN WHITESIDE COUNTY.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

STERLING, ILL., 20th Aug., 1862.

The farmers of this county have generally succeeded by to-day in securing their wheat, the rest probably but few exceptions. There has been so much wind and rain this season that the shocks have been repeatedly blown down, and much damaged; very little is stored to be grown but it is nearly all badly blotched; and as there is much put up partially damp, there will be great liability to injury in the stacks, unless threshed immediately. The spelling and oats crop is light, but the corn promises the engrossing subject of interest, and the exertion to fill up the company of J. G. Price—now forming here is being directed with good success. It is now nearly full and will make the 6th one now from this county under the call for 300,000—leading more than our quota. Whiteside is ready with both men and money, and will continue them as long as necessary, and for the suppression of treason and rebellion. F.

Enlistments and Meetings in Davenport Western Virginia.

[From the Pottsburg Gazette.]

After the adjournment of Congress many new public meetings have been held in all parts of Western Virginia, and all, so far as we have seen, have unanimously denounced John S. Carlile as a traitor, alike to his constituents and country. Many speeches are made at these meetings, and the following resolution has gone into the Southern confederacy, where he belongs.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to John S. Carlile the use of the Penitentiary, and the services of the Superintendent and guards, to keep him safely, and that we will pay the expenses of the same.

FROM THE FIRST-SECOND ILLINOIS CAVALRY REGIMENT.

A Successful Expedition—$10,000 Worth of Cotton taken.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

CAMP MCCLERNAND, NEAR COLLIERVILLE, } August 17, 1862.

Knowing that among your numerous readers there are many who are interested in the welfare of the 82d Illinois, I take the liberty of dropping a line concerning it. We have been lying quietly in camp near Corinth for the last two months. Last Monday we were ordered out on a scout, with six days' rations, towards Pocahontas, on the line of the Memphis railroad. By dark we were on the march. Stopping a brief period at Corinth for instructions, away we went into the enemy's country. It was reported that there was a force of about 800 rebel cavalry under Faulkner operating near Pocahontas, burning cotton and destroying Union men. Our orders were to capture or drive them out; enable the Union men to bring their cotton to market, and confiscate all that we could lay hands on belonging to rebels. At Chewalla, where we arrived towards morning, we found the 21st Missouri encamped. Here we put in three hours sleep, breakfasted and again started on our way. The day came on intensely hot—thermometer ranging from 90 to 100—scarcely a breath of air stirring; the dust arose in clouds, and hung about us in suffocating thickness. Wells and springs we seldom met with, we suffered much but finally arrived without incident at the Hatch River where we formed our camp. After crossing the ridge which divides the waters of the Tuscumbia and Hatch, we found a better country and people; this was manifest from their well kept houses and plantations. Forty-seven miles this side of Corinth we found a large number of cotton presses in close proximity to camp was soon put into requisition and operated under the direction of Capt. Wilcox, who showed the natives what brotherly hands and energy could accomplish at short notice. We stayed in our camp three days days and returned to our old camp here. We brought with us a cotton train we used at *ten thousand dollars*, nearly one half of which was confiscated; three yoke of cattle and three wagons—confiscated. Besides this we foraged sufficient beef, pork, corn and salt to sustain us while there. I think you will agree with me in saying that this expedition paid.

The guerillas gave us a wide berth, being satisfied probably, that the men who could break the iron and leaden ball of Donelson and Pittsburgh were not the ones they wanted to meet in a simple bush-whacking fight. I know it is customary for better officers to enlighten the respective regiments, but with the 82d this is unnecessary. It always does its duty. The record of its deeds of daring is written on the tombstones of her noble dead and the scarred persons of her veteran soldiers.

We are commanded by Major E. A. Bowen, who has won the confidence of every man by his personal bravery and the military and executive ability displayed by him in every position he has been assigned to. Our veteran Lieut. Sweeney and Lieut. Col. Wilson are also sentinel recuperating their health and energies, which have wasted away during their arduous services in the field, the one as brigade and the other as regimental commander. The general health of the regiment is good. We have all the cash we can use, and are fully supplied and ready for any duty the service can impose upon us. Respectfully yours, "D."

Gen. Curtis' Policy.

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE SOUTHWEST, } CAMP AT HELENA, ARK., Aug. 16, 1862.

Editors Chicago Tribune:

My attention has been called to an article in your paper of the 13th inst., headed "General Curtis' policy," charging him with exhibiting more "care for the rebels than concern for his own troops. The army were on short rations for weeks, and the food taken has been paid for at about double the prices the planters could get for it if they hauled it to the river."

The entire article is false, unjust and pernicious; not intentionally so, I am sure, but so in fact. Not one tenth of the provisions taken by Gen. Curtis' army has been issued to other than white men. Our orders were to capture or drive them out; enable the Union men to bring their cotton to market, and confiscate all that we could lay hands on belonging to rebels. At Chewalla, where we arrived towards morning, we found the 21st Missouri encamped. Here we put in three hours sleep, breakfasted and again started on our way. The day came on intensely hot—thermometer ranging from 90 to 100—scarcely a breath of air stirring; the dust arose in clouds, and hung about us in suffocating thickness. Wells and springs we seldom met with, we suffered much but finally arrived without incident at the Hatch River where we formed our camp. After crossing the ridge which divides the waters of the Tuscumbia and Hatch, we found a better country and people; this was manifest from their well kept houses and plantations. Forty-seven miles this side of Corinth we found a large number of cotton presses in close proximity to camp was soon put into requisition and operated under the direction of Capt. Wilcox, who showed the natives what brotherly hands and energy could accomplish at short notice. We stayed in our camp three days days and returned to our old camp here. We brought with us a cotton train we used at *ten thousand dollars*, nearly one half of which was confiscated; three yoke of cattle and three wagons—confiscated. Besides this we fora

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1862.

THE CITY.

Voyage of the Smelling Committee.

Unparalleled Filth and Unexampled Putridity.

ROTTEN DISTILLERIES AND STUMP TAIL CATTLE.

On Saturday last at two o'clock p. m., a Smelling Committee, composed of Aldermen Botsford, Edwards, Hoyt, Brown, Bangwarnath and Holden; E. G. Chesborough, Engineer of the Board of Public Works; Fred. Lotz and A. Gindele, of the same Board; Dr. Mahla, chemist; and such of the reporters of the city press as were stench proof, embarked on the tug J. S. Rumsey, lying at Prindiville's Dock, for a voyage of investigation up the North and South branches of the River. The embarkation was effected with a realizing sense of the character of the voyage, and an air of solemnity was observable upon the face of the voyagers, as if they were uncertain whether they should ever again visit *terra firma*. Various counter agents had been procured by the passengers of the dauntless little tug which was to penetrate the stinking mysteries of the branches, such as extra handkerchiefs, cologne bottles, camphor, chloride of lime, lemons, cigars and other articles, the value of which was thoroughly appreciated before the voyage was ended. The chemist was provided with a startling array of vials, jars and acids, which, arranged upon the bulkhead, created an impression among the natives of Kilgubbin that we were floating whisky-venders, and large numbers rushed down to the bank with postage stamps, eager to get a drink. The process of chemical examination pursued by Dr. Mahla was substantially this: A bucket of the fluid called water was dipped up at various points. A glass jar was partially filled with the fluid, into which a small quantity of sulphuric acid was poured. The sulphuretted hydrogen gas, which is the essential element of all stench, and emitted by decomposing or rotten substances of any kind containing sulpur, was separated from the water by the action of the acid, and was detected by the discoloration of paper suspended in the mixture, having been previously moistened with a solution of sugar of lead.

Prior to starting, water was dipped from the river east of Clark street bridge, where the action of the lake was apparent. The water was of a dirty yellowish color, but the paper showed little or no change, indicating that the water at this point is comparatively pure.

From Clark street bridge to Newberry's elevator there was no change in the water. Up to this point the company preserved their equanimity and were mainly discussing the merits of boulders and Nicholson, the afterturtle topic of aldermen. Upon rounding the point, however, into the North Branch, the water changed it to an inky hue, and, plowed up by the propeller, sent forth a stench which was almost overpowering, and at once created a demand for the counter-agents mentioned above. At this point there is little or no current. The current of the North Branch reaching that of the South Branch creates an eddy of huge dimensions, holding in its black embrace the oceans of filth coming down. Here it lies in one vast bed, rotting, fermenting, decomposing; unmeasured depths of refuse from slop-shops, tanneries, distilleries and stables, sending forth its malarious odors and poisoning the breezes as they sweep over the city. To bring slaughter-house, bird, beast or insect—could live for an instant in the seething mass of corruption. The chemist applied his test, and the paper almost instantly was blackened. The chemist alone was in ecstasies. Wrapped up in his science, what cared he for stench, so long as the stinking fluid wrought so beautiful a change. The yellow primroses, the primrose, and nothing more to them. They could only see rottenness and filth above, and untold horrors beneath the stagnant, flood. This condition of the water reaches to Indiana street, and is materially made worse by the refuse emptied into the river from the innumerable shanties upon the bank.

Above Indiana street bridge, for a short distance the water improves and its color changes. The respite was halted with ecstacies of delight. A few fleets of ducks were paddling about the marge, which provoked curious dissertations upon natural history. Several of the hair clad, dirt-colored natives rushed frantically down the water's edge and attempted to hail their effete brethren of the marsh unavailing. In their rage they howled dismal execrations in an unknown tongue. The only sounds we could catch were "*A-r-r-r*, biss, dye'e mind um—stone up, stone um." The natives, therefore, commenced a vigilant search for stones, apparently, but failing to find them, contented themselves with a removal of the grass—*ipse*.

As we journeyed farther north, the water again began to grow impure. We passed tanneries where men were engaged in washing huge piles of green hides in the river, and finally came alongside an old scow, where several laborers were at work. The latter commenced a series of vigorous remonstrances, which threatened to develope into a pugilistic outbreak, but were finally quelled by one or two of the more muscular aldermen politely requesting the scowmen to sail in. The scow was laden with slops from Crosby's distillery above. As engine and pumps conveyed the slops from the scow to long troughs, which in turn conveyed them to the hog pens upon the bank. These pens are roofed, forming several long blocks capable of containing upon the least calculation six or seven thousand hogs. All of them were filled. Drains and uncovered ditches lead from these pens directly into the river and conveyed all the refuse slops, mud, manure and filth directly into the water. So vast was the amount of this that some of the drains were fairly choked up with the rotten mass. The water in the vicinity is nearly of the consistency of dough; its surface completely covered with manure, its lower depths made up of—Heaven only knows what. Gunnybags suggested that the locality would be a charming spot for a basket picnic, but summary threats of throwing him into the river choked any further suggestions in that line.

Near North avenue bridge the tug arrived at Hawxal's distilleries and stables. The voyagers had waited through Cologne water the air in comparison with the river at this point. Here there are located fifteen low-roofed stables, their rears upon the west bank of the river. Some distance above is located the distillery, the hot reeking slops from which are conveyed by long troughs to the stables. The stables are occupied principally by beef cattle; one or two filled with cows and a few hogs. Tne poor animals are chained up to the racks, standing upon slippery, slanting floors. Here you find the realities of stump tails. There were cattle with long tails, with half tails, with stump tails, and no tails at all. Some of them had swelled feet; others lying on the slippery floors, upon the utmost provocation failed to rise. The filth attracted legions of flies, with which the cattle were literally covered. Many of them had badly chafed hips and joints, showing long confinement. Probably few of them for a long time had visited the boundless expanse of meadows close by, filled with ripe succulent herbs and grass. The large majority of them were very lean, for although it is a wonderful fattener, in which sense, whatever its influence upon beef and milk, it is evidently a waste of time and money to drive them to pasture, and so they remain there in their filthy stalls, covered with flies and dirt, without even a whiff of fresh air, wistfully gazing, as it seemed to us, from their scanty windows out on to the boundless acres of food, stretching away in every direction. "How often do you drive these cattle out to pasture?" inquired Gunnybags of a man filthier even than the cattle. The man, with a stare of astonishment at the ignorance of Gunnybags, replied monosyllabically, "Never." Gunnybags subsided, and sought no more to pry into the mysteries of the cow-pens and pig-sties.

This establishment, we were informed, sells the proprietor the handsome sum of $600 per day.

Those for the interiors; now for the cattle upon the river. From those stables the steers are led down into the river. The bottom has not matured low piled up in immediate upon the bank, making an ooze impassable by cattle; so stakes are driven, and a platform is constructed, upon which the animals are driven into the boats. Here they are confined by a rope passed around the horns, and the boat is towed out into the river. Arrived at the scow, the animals are compelled to climb a thick slippery plank, and then they are driven

compounds into the river, the whole surface of which, at this point, seems almost a solid mass of putrefaction. There is not a drop of pure water in this vicinity. The little creeks and bayous are stagnant pools of corruption, in which there is no living thing but the worm and the maggot. Not even the carrion fly skims its surface. Combine all the filthy substances you can conceive, and you cannot outdo it. Make a broth of sewerbilia, polecats, buzzards, toads, the vilest weeds of the swamp and the rankest nondescripts of the most malarious bogs and still, the North Branch, at this point, would carry off the first prize.

We ploughed our way to Wicker's distilleries. Here the slops are partially kept from the river by embankments. Their very confinement, however, increases the stench. This lagoon of slops, perhaps an acre in extent, has an outlet about eight inches wide, but the thick adhesive character of the compound prevents any very rapid current. Consequently, the sickening stuff, of unmeasured depth, lies there rotting and fermenting in the sun. Passed these distilleries, and delayed at Clybourne avenue bridge by the tender, who was taking his *siesta* some distance off, we passed up to Nickerson's distilleries, the head of North Branch navigation, and disembarked. The stables connected with these distilleries are of recent date, and hence comparatively clean. It was at first a mystery where the slops were emptied. A tour of investigation, however, soon developed in a grove hard by a lake of slops walled in with a dam. The company gazed and fled. The chemist in the meantime kept on up to the Milwaukee Railroad bridge, analyzed a specimen of the water and found it nearly pure. There are no distilleries above Nickerson's.

The North Branch voyage was ended. The party re embarked, and as rapidly as possible plowed their way back through the corruption, and then made the tour of the South Branch. From Lake street bridge to Monroe street the water is impure, but by no means equal to that of the North Branch. At the Gas Works the surface of the water is covered with coal tar, and the water has a gassy smell, but not unpleasant in comparison with the stench of the other branch. From Monroe street to at least a mile west of Bridgeport the river is pure, and there is no smell arising from the water.

The party reached Clark street bridge at six o'clock perfectly satisfied with their trip. The above facts, seemingly highly colored perhaps, are not exaggerations. The stench and filth may be appreciated by sight and smell, certainly not by description. We have no comments to make. The Council have seen and smelt the North Branch. Now, what will they do with it?

THE ARTHUR GUARDS.

Presentations to Capt. Geo. W. Smith and Lieut. Geo. Chandler.

The Arthur Guards, Capt. Geo. W. Smith, 2d regiment of the Board of Trade, were on Saturday honored with a call from hundreds of our citizens, including many ladies, on the occasion of the presentation of a sword, a pair of pistols, and a full uniform suit to their Captain, and of a sword and belt to their Lieutenant. No officer has more or warmer friends here than Capt. Smith: and we are glad to know his men have that confidence in him that should always be reposed in a commander, and which he is so well calculated to inspire. This company was, we believe, the first to go to the camp of this regiment, and it has made great proficiency in drill and discipline.

The company was formed in a hollow square; the Light Guard Band, the officers and the speakers were inside; the regiment was formed outside in the rear; and a large number of spectators were collected in front.

The presentation speech was made by Col. F. A. Eastman. He began with some happy and pertinent remarks, suggested by the occasion, at the conclusion of which he said:

I now approach a part of my task with feelings of pain, which, however, this occasion would not certainly manifest. Some of your friends are acquainted with the circumstances that attended your being called to the death, and they are yet the almost sympathy of their hearts. Robert S. Smith, Adjutant of the 5th Connecticut, in the severe battle of the other day at Chickahominy Creek, while leading a portion of that regiment against the enemy, was shot through the same fatal and instantly. Thus you will go forth, with the example of your heroic brother to cheer you in the struggle. You can do no better than to emulate his valor; you can do no less than avenge his death, and if I may be permitted, on this occasion, to carry on this saddening strain still further, I will recite, as over your fallen brother's bier, the lines of his inscription. We have no comments to make. The Council have seen and smelt the North Branch. Now, what will they do with it?

"Soldier, rest! thy warfares' o'er,
Sleep the sleep that knows not breaking.
Dream of battled fields no more,
Day of danger, nights of waking."

Some of your friends, too, know with what patriotic motives you have entered the army. If you have motives of personal ambition, no one certainly has more abundant room. But you have made unusual sacrifices, and the knowledge of these, with your practical talents, and recognized fitness for command, have already placed you in command of as fine a company as the army can boast. This is a small compliment, that you have the entire confidence of the men of your command, and both you and they are trusted to carry solid blows against the rebels. We will all look to you for vigorous help in reducing the rebellious enemy to that humble plight, which will not only accrue to the present generation peace, but will, in a short term, bless posterity in the South with a wholesome sorrow for all latter times.

But during your absence you shall not be forgotten by us. Whether you return with the laurels of victory or the cypress wreath from the fields of glorious dealing; and the large number of your friends can be assured as vigorously as the Government is now professing to prosecute this war, you will not be absent long—not over a very long period of time. When our arms shall have dispersed the armies of revolted States, further conquest will not be needed; we shall then be the sovereign arbiter of our own affairs, and your soldiers of the republic will return to their homes and to the ordinary avocations. When this new day, as full of blessings as that of 1776 is sanctified, shall have dawned upon this war-scourged land, you will, we trust, come back to this community and resume the practice of the law. You will have lost nothing by the lapse in your professional labors; the enviable reputation you have already, in these few years gained, will then be available to you, and valuable, indeed, will be the gifts, and with them the hearty good wishes and God-speeds of the donors.

CAPT. SMITH'S REPLY.

Col. Eastman, friends, ladies and gentlemen: I thank you, I thank you heartily for these expressions of your good will; I shall endeavor to wear them as becomes a soldier. I am happy that I have friends, and such friends. I owe, my present position unwillingly, and yet willingly; unwillingly because I prefer the post of citizen to that of the soldier; willingly, because it is my career and destiny to do all this; I can to aid in supporting the government and suppressing the existing rebellion. I join with you, Col. Eastman, in the hope that it will be but a brief peace shall prevail in the land. And when that time shall come, I shall return by laying these military badges and become again a civilian. My friends again I thank you.

The sentiments of both these speakers called forth repeated cheers.

PRESENTATION TO LIEUT. CHANDLER.

JOHN A. JAMESON, Esq., presented an elegant sword to Lieut. Geo. Chandler, in a capital speech, as follows:

LIEUTENANT CHANDLER.—I do not think words necessary to the delivery of such an humble and such a place as this. The soldier needs only arms and the sight of his enemy, as all friends, and many of us schoolfellows, we being the former, it is yours to find the latter. But while we with bold advice it is right to remind you that in your campaigning you will have a double reputation to sustain—that traditional one of the "Green Mountain Boy," and the more recent reputation of both the Green Mountain Boy and the Hillsdale—as the former, in our first war strode down his enemy" in the name of Jehovah and the Continental Congress;" remember that you fight to-day a similar foe, for the same liberty, in the same of the same God, and of as worthy a Congress, by the side of soldiers, equally heroic, the sons of the noble State of our adoption. You better than to emulate his valor; you can do no less than avenge his death, and if I may be permitted, on this occasion, to carry on this saddening strain still further, I will recite, as over your fallen brother's bier, the lines of a few personal friends, my sword, pistol and equipments, I beg you not to forget that beneath them are the representatives of the majesty of the law, whose disciple you have been for the correction of offenders; and that while for the protection of your domestic altars, to such as persist in treason against it, you are bound to be a terror, to others you are to be a justice commingled with mercy, to such as cease to do evil.

We rooks for you, in conclusion, a career of honorable service and if it may be a long life, but at all events a life useful and glorious.

LIEUT. CHANDLER'S REPLY.

Mr. Jameson, ladies and gentlemen: I thank you that I have no kindly remembrance that promises nothing as to my future conduct; but I hope and trust that the record of my period of service may be upright and honorable. I have been said that "the pen is mightier than the sword;" but it would seem that a pen ago the ink had run dry, and now the sword is the star and strength of the country. Believing thus, I have for the present changed my occupation, and with out promising, I trust that it shall not be in vain.

A fine dress parade of the regiment followed these addresses; the regiment was commanded by Major Col. Chad bourne. On the return of the Arthur Guards to their quarters, a number of other speeches were made by W. A. Porter, Norman Williams, jr., E. S. Isham, E. W. Russell, Lieut. Col. Chadbourne, and others. It should be mentioned in this connection that 2d Lieut. Bigelow, of this company, was the recipient a few days ago of a beautiful sword from the Illinois Central Railroad Company. Altogether this affair was the most interesting one of the kind that we have witnessed in many a day.

HONORARY DEGREE.—The Masonic University of Kentucky has conferred the honorary degree of D. D. upon the Rev. R. N. Bishop, the faithful and eloquent rector of St. John's church (Episcopal) of this city. This mark of appreciation by a faculty so distinguished, is not undeserved, and the writer cannot fail to sit well and gratefully upon the shoulders of our reverend friend.

The special attention of members of the first Board of Trade regiment is called to Capt. Curtis' advertisement, published elsewhere.

Departure of the Seventy-Second Regiment.

PRESENTATION OF A FLAG.

The Roster and Organization.

On Saturday afternoon, the newly organized body designated as the First Board of Trade regiment, which has been temporarily quartered at Camp Hancock, near Cottage Grove, took its departure for the South, to participate in the stern work of war.

It had been expected that the regiment would not leave till Saturday evening, and that it would be allowed time, in the afternoon, to parade through the city to the Board of Trade rooms, where a stand of colors would be formally presented. But late Friday night a dispatch was received from headquarters, ordering the regiment to move with the least possible delay. Accordingly at a very early hour on Saturday morning the work of preparation began, and from sunrise till 11 o'clock, Camp Hancock presented a scene of exciting activity. Tents were rapidly struck, knapsacks filled, and camp equipage of all kinds hurriedly packed up in proper shape for transportation. Meantime a large number of the relatives and friends of the regiment, learning of the sudden change of plans, which prevented the soldiers from again coming to the city at all, rushed towards the camp, to see their soldier friends, exchange a few hasty words, and then bid them an affectionate adieu. The War Committee of the Board of Trade also repaired to the ground, bearing the regimental colors for presentation. Owing to the sudden and unexpected departure of the regiment, without first coming into the city, many of the officers and privates were compelled to leave without again seeing their families and loved ones, as they had anticipated doing, before the final start for the field of strife. This seemed hard, but it is one among the many stern necessities of war.

The regiment was greatly assisted in making the needful preparations for the journey, by Col. Tucker and Col. Hough, of the 69th and 71st regiments, who rendered timely and valuable aid.

By half-past 11 o'clock the 72d regiment was ready to march to the cars for embarkation. Before proceeding thither, however, the entire body was drawn up in line, preparatory to receiving the flag sent to them by S. T. Sutt, Esq., of Kentucky. This flag consists of the ever glorious stars and stripes, emblazoned on the finest silk, and floating from a staff of polished ash. In the center of the flag are inscribed, in golden letters, the words, "Presented by S. T. Sutt, of Kentucky, to the Board of Trade Regiment of Chicago." Accompanying the colors are two beautiful "guidons," of similar material and proportionate size. The line officers of the regiment now took their position in advance of the main body; while in front of them stood the field officers.

C. G. Wicker, Esq., then made a formal presentation of the colors, in behalf of the Board of Trade, and of the noble donor, Mr. Sutt. Mr. Wicker first read the letter of Mr. Sutt, which accompanied the colors, and of which the following is a copy:

LOUISVILLE, KY., August 20, 1862.

To the President and Secretary of the Board of Trade, Chicago, Ill.

GENTLEMEN:—

By express, I have this day taken the liberty of forwarding to Mr. C. G. Wicker, a stand of colors to be presented in my name to the Board of Trade Regiment raised under your auspices. The noble manner in which you offered to me the honor of one of our common country for men and means to crush the rebellion, and the foremost ranks in which the business men of Chicago, through their Board of Trade, have placed themselves, demands a tribute or respect from all Union loving citizens east as well as west.

Be pleased, therefore, gentlemen, to accept the colors as my mite of appreciation of the laudable efforts you are engaged in. May its folds ever be spread to the breeze, and float aloft only in victory. I know it can never be disgraced by defeat.

Yours, very respectfully, &c., S. T. SUIT.

The reading of this letter was greeted with loud applause, after which Mr. Wicker said:

OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF THE 72D REGIMENT: In presenting to you this stand of colors, I do it with the fullest confidence that it passes into the hands of those who will never dishonor it. From my own personal acquaintance with the men who compose this organization, I cannot, for a moment, doubt your willingness and your determination to maintain the honor of your country in saving it to complete and glorious victory. In common with the citizens of Chicago, I shall expect you to secure a brilliant campaign, and should you not return to us again, to come with an honored name, having done your duty as a patriot and soldier, there ever your country may require your services. Future generations will curse or bless you, according to the manner in which you fulfill the obligations imposed upon you as soldiers sworn to fight for and maintain the government under which you live—according to your faithfulness or unfaithfulness in the great work of crushing out this ungodly rebellion.

I beg you, now, to accept this flag, and with it, receive, also, the warmest good wishes of the Board of Trade. Be assured that your success, your reputation and your welfare, will ever be, with this Board, matters of the liveliest interest.

At the conclusion of Mr. Wicker's remarks, Col. Starring proposed nine cheers for S. T. Sult, the generous donor of the flags, which were given with a hearty good will. The "Star Spangled Banner" was then played in the best style by the Old Light Guard Band, whose valuable services had been engaged for the occasion. Next came the response of Lieut. Col. J. C. Wright, who had been deputed by his brother officers to receive the colors presented to the regiment. The speech of Col. Wright was eminently characteristic of the man and appropriate to the occasion which called it forth. He felt proud of the compliment paid to the 72d regiment by the Board of Trade, and by that loyal Kentuckian who had sent them this testimonial of esteem and friendly feeling. He regarded it as a significant emblem; an indication that the loyal men of Kentucky expected every member of that regiment to do his duty unflinchingly; and he believed they would do it. He considered the Board of Trade one of the most devotedly patriotic bodies in the country. Under the recent call for troops, the Board had first struck the key note which awakened to activity the patriotic heart of the great Northwest. During his six years' connection with that body, he had ever found its members true to the best interests of their country and manhood; and he felt doubly proud of that Board since the noble stand its members had taken and the work they had accomplished for their country's present necessities. He had no doubt that whatever might be the fate of that regiment, it would be looked after, and, so far as possible, cared for by the Board of Trade, under whose auspices it had been organized. He was grateful in contemplating the valuable assistance rendered by the Young Men's Christian Association in the formation of the regiment, and rejoiced to know that in their ranks were to be found many christian soldiers—praying men, whose petitions would daily ascend to Heaven in behalf of themselves, and the army in general, and the cause in which they are engaged.

After the Board of Trade, the Christian Association, and the citizens of Chicago generally for their kind attentions and assistance in behalf the regiment, Col Wright bid them an affectionate farewell. The band then played the familiar air of "Auld Lang Syne," after which Rev. Henry Barnes, Chaplain of the 72d regiment, offered up a brief and appropriate prayer. The regiment was formed in marching order, and escorted by the band, six companies from the 69th and 71st regiments, under command of Adjutant Beardsly of the former, and a large concourse of citizens, proceeded to the lake shore opposite Camp Douglas, where a special train on the Illinois Central railroad was in readiness to receive them. This train consisted of fifteen passenger coaches and five freight cars. After about an hour spent in loading the regiments, provisions, &c., and distributing the men by companies through the cars, the order was given to start. The final "God-bye's" were hastily spoken; the last "God bless you's" tremblingly uttered; the parting grasp of friendly hands given, and then, amid the wild hurras of the soldiers and the undivided prayers of those whom they were leaving, perhaps forever, the long train moved slowly away, bearing to the battle-field a regiment of fighting men of whom Chicago may justly be proud.

Below will be found a complete Roster of the 72nd regiment, which will be read with interest by numerous friends of the brave men who compose it:

FIELD AND STAFF OFFICERS.

Colonel—J. C. Wright.
Lieut.-Colonel—Henry W. Chester.
Major—Ebenezer Beardsley.
Quartermaster—S. H. Boston.
Surgeon—Edwin Powell.
Assistant Surgeons—Dr. Smith, Dr. Hall.
Chaplain—Henry Barnes.

COMPANY ORGANIZATIONS.

Company A—Captain, H. Hollingsworth.
1st Lieut., H. C. Mowry.
2nd Lieut., Porter K. Hanson.
Company B—Captain, Jerome Sexton.
1st Lieut., George B. Randall.
2nd Lieut., Wm. B. Walker.
Company C—Captain, William Jamme, jr.
1st Lieut., Edward Sickenger.
2nd Lieut., Clifford Stickney.
Company D—Captain Edwin C. Prior.
1st Lieut., H. W. Murray.
2nd Lieut., Hezekiah Stout.
Company E—Captain, Josiah S. Williams.
1st Lieut., George W. Colby.
2nd Lieut., Richard Pomeroy.
Company F—Captain, H. D. Fredericks.
1st Lieut., J. H. Smith.
2nd Lieut., J. F. Sheahan.
Company G—Captain, Alfred A. Barton.
1st Lieut., Benjamin V. Underwood.
2nd Lieut., Edward Underwood.
Company H—Captain, Enoch S. Curtis.
1st Lieut., David W. Perkins.
2nd Lieut., D. W. Wright.
Company I—Captain, Asley Bellows.
1st Lieut., Charles Gladding.
2nd Lieut., Edwin Small.
Company K—Captain, James Bradley.
1st Lieut., Abner C. Barnes.
2nd Lieut., John W. Abbott.

PRESENTATION TO CAPTAIN SPALDING OF THE SECOND BOARD OF TRADE REGIMENT.—On Saturday afternoon a large number of the friends of Captain J. J. Spalding visited him at the regimental camp, and at the close of dress parade his company was drawn up in front of the Captain's tent, where, after music by the Light Guard Band, his business partners and the employees of their office, presented him with a costly and elegant sword, sash, belt, pistol and other equipments, and at the same time the members of the church where he has been a useful member, highly esteemed and loved, for a long time, presented him with a beautiful suit of uniform—coat, pants, vest, and hat. The presentation was made by J. W. Vaughop, Esq., accompanied by appropriate remarks, which were responded to by Captain S. in a feeling manner. The whole affair passed off very pleasantly and is a deserved testimonial of the esteem in which he is held where he is best known. Captain Spalding has a fine company of men, who seemed as much delighted with the attention shown their young commander as if it had been given to themselves. We learn that though he goes into the service for the war, he still retains his business connection in the firm of Dunlop, Sewell and Spalding where he has been so long engaged.

THE COMET.—This interesting visitor is now plainly visible to the naked eye, and is rapidly increasing in brightness. It is situated a little to the eveningward three degrees west of the Polar Star, near the head of Cameleopardus, forming the point of a triangle, of which the Pole Star and a bright star in the body of Ursa Major are the other two points. It can be readily distinguished from any of the surrounding stars by its nebulous appearance, it being enclosed by a faint, whitish light. In a telescope of very moderate power its character is at once determined, and the commencement of that curious appendage—the tail—having already begun, a fair opportunity is thus afforded of watching its development, which end may be gained by any amateur astronomer at a very small expense. It is quite unnecessary to have a powerful glass; a comet (to the amateur) is much more pleasantly observed with a low power, the main object being to have a large field of view, so that as much light may be admitted into the eye as possible.

THANKS.—We are requested by Capt. James, of the Scripps Guard, to express, in behalf of his company, their heartfelt acknowledgments to Mr. Parmalee, Superintendent of the City Railway Company, for his liberality in furnishing the necessary cars, free of charge, to carry the entire company from camp to the city and back, on the occasion of the entertainment given to them by Mr. and Mrs. Scripps. They hope that patriotic citizens will remember this act of liberality.

THEATRICAL.—The Seven Sisters announce the second week of their brilliant career at McVicker's theatre on Monday evening, when many new features are to be introduced, including a shower of gold in the last scene. The theatre has been crowded each evening of this piece, and will continue to be so as long as it is presented. The last scene alone is worth the price of admission, and from the different effects produced by the lights it never appears two nights alike, but always beautiful beyond description.

U. S. HOSPITAL.—The Rev. E. B. Tuttle has given, tendered to the Government at his residence, the story of his church to be used for free use as a hospital. It will accommodate from one hundred and fifty to two hundred beds. A part of the basement, which is several feet above the ground, and well ventilated, has been in use for some time as a lodging-room for soldiers and wayfaring men.

FOR THE SEVENTY SECOND.—J. L. Hayward, sutler of the 72d or First Board of Trade Regiment, leaves this city for the quarters of the regiment on Monday evening. All the friends or relatives of officers or privates in the regiment having packages to send, will leave them as early as possible, properly addressed, at the International Saloon, Couch Place, between Clark and Dearborn streets.

TRAIN'S LATE SPEECH.—John R. Walsh, corner of Madison street and Custom House Place, has published a pamphlet containing Archbishop Hughes' recent sermon on the "Duty of Catholics," and George Francis Train's speech on the "Downfall of England." Price ten cents.

THE BOARD OF TRADE WAR COMMITTEE MEETINGS.—On and after Monday, August 25, the Board of Trade War Committee will hold their regular meetings in the Mercantile Association Rooms, corner of State and Lake streets every afternoon at 4 o'clock, excepting Sundays.

GOOD-BY, SECESH.—Dr. Stanley, the North Side physician, arrested some days since for using seditious language and other wise proving himself a secessionist, has been safely delivered into Federal custody at Washington by Capt. Nelson, of the South Side Police.

PREMIUM FOR ENLISTMENT.—The five dollars premium offered by Dr. C. A. Garnsey to the first man enlisting in Capt. Holbrook's company has been awarded to Henry DeWolf Dewey.

CHRISTENED.—The Mercantile Battery has been named the Doggett Guard Battery, in compliment to W. E. Doggett, Esq., President of the Mercantile Association.

PREACHING AT CAMP.—Rev. A. A. Hendrick, Pastor of the North Baptist Church, will preach at the camp of the Board of Trade Battery, to-day, at three o'clock p. m.

FAIR AT BRYAN HALL.—A Ladies' Fair will be held at Bryan Hall on Monday, having in view the presentation of a magnificent stand of colors to the Railroad Regiment.

SANITARY SUPPLIES GOOD FORWARD.—The Sanitary Commission of this city shipped thirty-six boxes of hospital supplies to Cairo on Saturday last.

A CHICAGO MAN IN TROUBLE.—H. H. Hatch, a resident of this city, was arrested at Fond du Lac, on Friday, for burglary.

FOR THE WAR.—See Colby, Farwell & Co.'s advertisement for blue cloths, for officers' uniforms, just received.

TROOPS.—There are now at Camp Douglas and vicinity 4,081 troops.

☞ The following is the state of the thermometer for the week ending August 16, as kept by E. O'Hara, apothecary and pharmaceutist, No. 30 West Randolph, corner of Canal street.

August.	7 A. M.	12 M.	6 P. M.
Sunday, 17	66	80	77
Monday, " 18	70	79	73
Tuesday, " 19	70	79	78
Wednesday, " 20	72	84	77
Thursday, " 21	70	83	79
Friday, " 22	73	77	70
Saturday, " 23	60	79	71

☞ See a list of our bounty and pension law blanks in another column. Declarations of mother, orphan, sister, minor children, are now ready. These forms are those prescribed in act of Congress, July 14, 1862. Sent, post paid, upon receipt of price—75 cents per quire. Address

TRIBUNE Office, Chicago.

War Claim Blanks for sale at this office. Widows' Declaration for Bounty and Arrears. Soldiers' Declaration for Bounty and Arrears. Officers' Certificates of Soldiers' Disability. Surgeons' Certificates of Soldiers' Disability. Invalid Pensioner Claims. Widow's Declaration for Pension. Heirs Declaration for Bounty and Arrears. Application for Transfer of Pension. Application of Minor Children for Pension. Application of Sister for Pension. Application of Mother for Pension. Application of Widow for Payment of Pension. Application of Invalid Pensioner for Payment of Pension. Claim for Rations and Equipments. Power of Attorney to draw Soldiers' Pay.

Sent by mail, post-paid, at seventy-five cents per quire. Address TRIBUNE OFFICE, Chicago, Illinois.

☞ A Lake street Book-keeper (single) desires board by Sept. 1st, in a private family (South Side preferred) where he may feel at home. Neither drinks, smokes nor chews, and prefers to spend evenings at home, particularly if privileged to enjoy some good reading material. Please address immediately, stating location, meal hours, terms (with or without dinner), &c., "Board," Post Office drawer 5067. References exchanged. aug8-2t.

☞ What *J. O. Nixon, Office* and proprietor of the *New Orleans Crescent*, says of Dr. James, formerly of Astor Hospital, No. 63 Custom-house street, New Orleans, Louisiana, established 1826, now permanently located at 86 Randolph street, Chicago, Illinois:

"Dr. JAMES—Of all the medical practitioners who have chosen a special class of human ailments for their study, we know of no one who has been more uniformly successful, or who has become more justly celebrated, than Dr. James of the Hospitaliers, and Custom-house street. Years ago, with a full practical knowledge of medicine in general, he singled out one of those hydras of human infirmity which general practitioners so rarely cope with successfully, and, by a close, laborious study, a persevering research into the remotest penetralia of the particular branch of his science, and the most careful and extended practice, he made himself the Hercules of the hydra, and thousands of both sexes, in all parts of the world now know him to remember him with the sincerest gratitude; for Dr. James' celebrity is not confined to New Orleans, or Louisiana, or the United States, but extends throughout Europe. As a general thing, he is infallible, and those who may come within the range of his treatment may call upon him not only with the hope, but the assurance, of being restored to health and happiness."—*New Orleans Crescent, March 8, 1858.*

Remember Dr. James' office is 86 Randolph street, between State and Dearborn streets.

☞ Buy wall paper of Chase & Co., wholesale and retail, 169 Randolph street.

☞ New Army Regulations, Infantry Tactics, and Artillery Practices, by the War Department; Master Rolls, Zouave Drill, Young Recruit, Sword Exercise, and all other books, for sale by F. T. Sherlock, 119 Dearborn street. aug14-12t

☞ Cook & McLain, steam Dyers and Scourers, 96 Dearborn and 120 S. Clark streets, clean and dye ladies and gentlemens' clothes in the best and cheapest manner. The oldest established house in the city.

☞ "Call on Dunlop, Sewell & Spalding for Printing." nov11-52t-tf

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Elder W. F. Black will preach in the Christian Church, on Monroe street, between Dearborn and Rucker, Sunday, August 24th, at 10½ a. m. and 7½ p. m. There will be a Test meeting at 2½ p. m. Admission 10 cents.

THE RUSHER'S CHURCH.—The services of the Bishop Church will be held on Sunday morning at 10:30 in Bryan Hall, and in the afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Third Presbyterian Church, West Side.

The Bishop's Church which has been closed for enlargement will be reopened Sunday, August 31. Services at 10:30 and 4 o'clock.

MONETARY.

SATURDAY EVENING, August 23, 1862.

The money market is abundantly supplied in every line but currency. That is still very scarce; but relief is expected early in the week by the receipt of large remittances from the East and elsewhere.

New York exchange was held rather firmer, as we heard of no sales to day below par; but it was freely supplied to customers by most if not all the discount houses at that rate. We quote the selling range at par@¼; buying par@¼ discount.

Gold was bought at 101¾. The rate at the Brst board in New York was 101¾.

Old Treasury notes buying ¼ per cent. premium; new buying for small notes ¼; selling ¾. The large notes, say fifties and upwards, are not worth any premium.

Silver, buying 103; selling 106@12.

New York Stock and Money Market.

By Telegraph.] NEW YORK, August 23, 1862.

First Board—Stocks lower at the board; but closing better.

Chi. & R. Island..	67¼	Hudson	80
C. B. & Q.	85¾	Harlem (5 10)	16¾
M. & F. du C.	83	C. & Harlem (4 10)	104¾
Cleve & Toledo	81¾	C. & P. 8s	80
Galena & Chicago..	78¾	P. Ft. W. & C. 1st.	93¾
C. C. & C.	100	P. Ft. W. & C. 2d.	81¾
C. & P.	25	Erie 8d bd's	104
Ill. C. full stock..	80	Erie 6th bd's	99
Ill. Central scrip..	67¾	Erie 5th b'ds	89
Mich. South	89¾	Ind. 8s, war loan..	95
Mich. S. guar	89¾	Cal. 7s	100
Mich. Central	67¾	Missouri 6s	47¾
American gold	113¾	Tennessee	50¾
Pacific Mail	110¾	Treasury 7 3-10	104¾
N. Y. Central	98¾	U. S. 5s '74, coupon	89¾
Erie	69¾	U. S. 6s, '67, reg'd	104
Erie pref.	89¾	U. S. 6s, '81, reg'd	101
Erie sand scrip	85		

MONEY.—Large supply and easy; 3@4 per cent. on gold and 6@8 per cent. for strictly prime paper. State exchanges closed at 12¾@13¾ for Illinois; 13¾@14 for Indiana; 13¾@14 for Ohio; 13¾@14 for Michigan; 13¾@14 for Wisconsin; 13¾@14 for Iowa; 13¾@14 for Missouri; 13¾@14 for Kentucky.

Bankers' balances—American gold opened steady at 15¾@15¾, and closed firm at 15¾ per cent. prem. The following are the rates at which Government stocks firm: U. S. 6's of 1881, 103¾@104; 7-3-10 Treasury notes at 104¾@104¾.

COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING, August 23, 1862.

RECEIPTS FOR LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour bris	Wheat bu	Corn bu	Oats bu	Rye bu	Bar bu.
Canal	2293	9634	67864		764	
C & A C R R	952	7181	14817	8283		
R I & P R R	1125	6000	6000		350	
I C R R	1425	40000	60000			
C & N W R R	300	7250	41262	1950	1224	
C & N W R R	716	3486	1736	1657	581	
A & S R R	No report.					
Total	5983	73991	194319	8290	2919	

	Beef Cattle.	Live hogs	Wool	Hides	High Wines bbls.
	L'd Cattle. hds	No.	lbs.	lbs.	bbls.
Canal	112	1	184	840	
C & A R R	887	709		18	
I C R R	1230	96	600	947	6200
C & N W R R	99	132	1846	4540	1076
C & N W R R			105	105	3048
A & S R R	No report.				
Total	1328	616	2948	6453	305	10324

SHIPMENTS BY LAKE, LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour. bbls.	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.	Oats. bu.	Rye. bu.	Barley. bu.
To Buffalo